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G. O. P. LEADERS WINNING FIGHT TO REDEEM THE STATE

Democrats in Consternation Over Judge Lamm's Masterly Manner of Meeting the Issues—Present Administration Has Bankrupted the State—Strong Ticket Winning State Over to Republican Ranks.

Judge Henry Lamm, that distinguished jurist and fearless champion of Republicanism, who heads the ticket that promises to redeem Missouri from Democratic misrule and swing the state back into the Republican column on the seventh of November, has surpassed the expectations of his most ardent admirers by the telling effect of the strenuous campaign he is making through the state. The masterly manner in which he is handling the issues of the campaign has aroused interest and enthusiasm and put new life into the cause of Republicanism throughout the state and filled the hearts of the Democratic candidates with consternation.

Judge Lamm is being greeted everywhere by large crowds and has made a most favorable impression on all classes of voters by his unanswerable arguments and the powerful searchlight of exposure he is turning upon the shameless extravagance and the wasteful and incompetent methods of the present Democratic administration. His thorough knowledge and mastery of state affairs mark him as an able and conscientious statesman. His rugged, manly bearing and pleasing personality are driving home the conviction that he is a man with the courage of his convictions and a capable leader and is winning for him thousands of supporters among Democrats who are disgusted with the wasteful extravagance of their own party leaders.

Judge Lamm is a native of Ohio, but has been a resident of Missouri for forty-seven years. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan and practiced law in this state for 30 years. He served four years as prosecuting attorney of Pettis County and was for ten years a judge of the Missouri Supreme Court. His fame as a jurist extends far beyond the borders of his own state and is widely known and respected for the wisdom and fearless impartiality of his decisions.

One of the decisions written by Judge Lamm that marked him as an impartial jurist was that in which he ruled that the old soldiers of the Confederate Soldiers' Home, at Higginsville, and at the Home for Union Veterans, at St. James, are not paupers, and are entitled to vote. Judge Lamm bears a spotless reputation and is respected by all who know him as a man of the highest character.

WALTER S. DICKEY

Walter S. Dickey, the Republican candidate for United States Senator from Missouri is matchless as a political leader and organizer, and in his present campaign, by his masterful tactics has won from his friends the title of "the Mark Hanna of Missouri."

Mr. Dickey has been a conspicuous and able leader in the Republican party of Missouri for 30 years, but has never sought for himself political preferment of any kind and never offensively dictated to those who were placed in power by his efforts. He came to Missouri in 1885 and at once identified himself with the Republican party of Kansas City. His ability as an able organizer was recognized a year later, by his election to membership of the Republican City Committee. In 1900 he was made chairman of the Jackson County Republican Committee, and under his efficient management the party that year won its first victory in 27 years. In 1904 he directed the campaign in Kansas City which resulted in the election of a Republican mayor and council. Later in the same year, as chairman of the executive committee of the Republican State Committee he aided in giving the electoral vote of Missouri to Theodore Roosevelt, which was a most surprising achievement.

In 1908, he accomplished a still more surprising result as Republican state chairman, by delivering the electoral vote of Missouri to Wm. H. Taft and elected Herbert S. Hadley, the first Republican governor of Missouri in forty years. During this campaign, Mr. Dickey removed to St. Louis, to establish more effective headquarters, leaving his family and large business interests in Kansas City for five months and devoting his entire energy to the cause for party success.

His matchless energy and ability as an organizer which have enabled him to lead the party to success in so many campaigns, are again being demonstrated and are sure to result in bringing to the polls at the November election the full strength of the party vote and certain victory to the cause of Republicanism, by the election of the entire ticket.

Personally Mr. Dickey is genial, approachable, and democratic. He is clean handed and all his processes have endured all the tests of public scrutiny. He is sympathetic and generous and the needs and interests of his fellow-men have a large place in his mind and heart. It is the possession of these qualities that have enabled him to rise from the humble post of a clerk to the presidency of a business concern which operates 23 plants in eleven different states.

ROY F. BRITTON
Republican Candidate for Lieutenant Governor

Roy F. Britton, the Republican candidate for lieutenant governor, is a brilliant young lawyer who was sent to the Legislature from St. Louis County, in 1910, and made an excellent legislative record. He was an ardent supporter of the good roads movement and the working men's compensation law and was one of the leading promoters of the law for the regulation of auto-

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A REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING

A monster Republican rally Thursday evening November 2, 1916, at Pythian Hall, 3157 Pine Street, under the auspices of the Precinct Organization of the Missouri Negro Republican League Club. The principal speakers are: Judge Henry Lamm, candidate for Governor; Hon. N. C. Cress, Hon. Chas. Nagel, Hon. L. C. Dyer, Hon. Walter S. Dickey. Prof. Frank Williams will speak on the School Bond Issue.

Rev. G. B. Shaw, Rev. P. W. Dunnavant, C. K. Robinson, W. R. Hill, John Schmoll, chairman of the Republican City Committee, will be among the speakers.

Permanent chairman, Prof. A. E. Malone, will be introduced by Hon. Albert Burgess. Wm. H. King, sec'y. Invocation by Rev. Geo. E. Stevens. Benediction by Rev. S. W. Parr.

Arms Musical Quartet will entertain G. Young, H. Campbell, S. Bradford and Ed. Jackson.

Grand street parade will start from 2329 Chestnut Street at 8 p. m. Dr. C. H. Phillips, President; Clinie Smith, Secretary; I. H. Bradbury, chairman of precinct organization; Jefferson Covington, Secretary; William H. Robinson, Chairman of the Organization Committee. Ladies are invited to be present.

MAYOR KIEL TO SPEAK

Next Sunday evening at 4 p. m. Mayor Henry W. Kiel will address the Brotherhood of Union Memorial Church. An interesting program has been arranged, and a large crowd is expected to be present.

The Home Coming celebration week was very successful. Miss Florence Smith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, of 2625 Stoddard St., won the prize in the spelling bee contest. Don't forget Sunday at 4 p. m.

OPEN MEETING

There will be an open meeting of the Ellsardsville Civic League, Sunday, October 15, at 4 o'clock, at St. James Church, Pendleton and St. Ferdinand Ave. On this occasion the prize offered for the best kept yard will be awarded. Mr. Frank L. Williams will speak on the Public School Bond Issue. Everybody welcome. Admission free. John B. Vashon, President.

"PORO" MOVIES

The film editor of "Poro" College invites your inspection of the famous "Poro" movies, to which has been added many new interesting scenes during the past summer, at the Lincoln High School, East St. Louis, Ill., Monday evening, October 23, at 8:15 prompt. Popular prices.

W. L. MAJORS RETURNS

Walter L. Majors, President of Oxford College, 4246 W. Belle, has returned to the city after an absence of four months. He reports a successful trip.

NOTICE TO ARGUS READERS

Beginning Friday, Dec. 1, the subscription rate of the St. Louis Argus will be $1.50 per year, in advance. All who pay their subscription prior to that time will receive the benefit of the present $1.00 rate which will obtain until their year has expired. All who fail to pay up before Dec. 1 will be dropped from the list. This, however, will not exempt them from paying. All who are in debt to the Argus Publishing Company for papers received will be, according to the Federal law, held responsible and expected to settle the amount.

The advance in the subscription rate has been necessitated by the high price of paper stock which has more than doubled during the present year.

The constant rise in this material has caused much anxiety among publishers throughout the country. Various methods have been tried by the different publishers to meet the emergency. The subscription rate for many has been doubled; others have reduced the number of pages, while hundreds have been suspended.

The Argus was the first modern Negro weekly to be offered to the public at $1.00 per year, and it is with reluctance that conditions necessitate an advance from that price. The publishers plan to keep up the high standard this paper has attained and to continue gradually improving its value as a news gatherer and advertising medium. This can only be done by meeting trade conditions.

Remember, you can still take advantage of the $1.00 per year in advance rate, by paying your subscription before Dec. 1. We are satisfied our many thousand readers wish to see the Argus grow and that not only will subscriptions be immediately paid in advance of Dec. 1, but all who are in arrears will appreciate their duty and pay up. If one of our collectors does not call in a few days, send your money into the office or phone Bomont 1452, and one will be sent to you.

Bonita Cafe

The Bonita Cafe, with its splendid corp of helpers, continues to attract much attention and is the brightest light in west end society.

Mr. Goodrich, the affable proprietor, is anxious to inaugurate anything to suit his patrons.

Beginning Thursday night souvenir night will be kept. High class entertainment will be on program on Thursday and Sunday evenings.

Mr. Harry Decker, the eminent musician, has been added to our corps, which goes to assure a delightful program throughout the entire evening. A cordial invitation is extended all.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Great County Fair at Wheatley Branch Y. W. C. A. gymnasium October 23-28, 1916. Concessions and booths of all kinds, police station, country store, court of mysteries, circus, "Goose that laid the golden egg," Dutch kitchen, gypsy camp, post office, etc.

Program each evening. Plenty of fun and frolic for all. Season ticket, 25 cents; single, 10 cents.

Get Ready For The Fair

Exhibition of women's work will begin Monday, October 23. Every woman is invited to place her work on exhibition. Out of this exhibition will come our Woman's Exchange. Any woman whose work is creditable and who is a member of the Young Women's Christian Association, can become a member of the exchange. All kinds of home cooking will be entered in the exchange.

Fall classes and clubs being formed in physical training, sewing, crochet, embroidery, choral work, cooking, dramatics, basketball, indoor tennis and swimming. Register in the Association office.

LANE TABERNACLE NOTES

On last Sunday at 11 a. m., a large crowd greeted Bishop Phillips. The good Bishop was himself and in his usual eloquent way preached a wonderful sermon to the delight of all his hearers.

At the close of the day a neat sum of more than $500.00 was raised. The effort has been continued until the fourth Sunday.

Pastor Smith will preach next Sunday. Subject at 11 a. m., "Man's Extremity is God's Opportunity." At 8 p. m., "The only foundation." All are invited.

DR. SPRINGARN CALLS LEADERS TO CONFERENCE

Chairman of the Board of Directors of the N. A. A. C. P. Calls Race Leaders Together With Other Prominent Men to Discuss Race Problems

Amenia, N. Y.—Fifty representatives of the Negro race of every school of thought and every form of activity held an important conference recently at Troutbeck, the country home of Dr. J. E. Spingarn, near here, having been invited by Dr. Spingarn, in order that the leaders of thought from every section of the country might freely and frankly discuss vital questions confronting the race and endeavor to ascertain the most advanced position that all might agree upon and hold as vantage ground from which to work for new conquests by Colored Americans.

Every phase of the race question was discussed. The following report was unanimously adopted:

First.—The conference believes that all forms of education are desirable for the Negro and that every form of education should be encouraged and advanced.

Second.—It believes that the Negro in common with all other races, cannot achieve its highest development without complete political freedom.

Third.—It believes that this development and this freedom cannot be furthered without organization and without a practical working understanding among race leaders.

Besides the conferees, a number of distinguished and representative members of both races were invited to be present and take part in the discussions from day to day. Among those in attendance and who addressed the conferences were: His Excellency Charles S. Whitman, governor of New York; Captain Lorillard Spencer, military secretary to the governor; Colonel William Hayward, colonel of the Fifteenth regiment; Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the Evening Post; Hon. Herbert Parsons, Miss Inez Mulholland. Other guests for the day were Edward Ware, president of the Atlanta University; Dr. V. Morton Jones, Lieutenant V. W. Tandy, John E. Nail, A. G. Dill and Gilchrist Stewart.

Dr. Spingarn is chairman of the board of directors of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

N. A. A. C. P. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the local branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will be held at Berea Presbyterian Church, 3015 Pine St., on Monday evening, October 23, at 8 p. m. Election of officers and reports of secretary and treasurer, will take place.

All members and friends of the work are cordially invited to be present.

HELP THE HELPLESS

"Help the Helpless," is the cry of the Christian civilization of the day. Orphans will always be among us. The child is helpless. Somebody must care for and train it to become a useful citizen. To neglect the child is a double crime.

The only institution in this city that is organized to care for our orphans, is the St. Louis Colored Orphan Home, 4316 Natural Bridge Road. It is your institution. The city is building an alley in the rear of their property. The tax with the necessary repairs will cost over four hundred dollars. This amount is urgently needed. A popular subscription by four hundred persons of $1 each will pay this debt. They need your help.

Keep the good work going. We have not heard from that children's club this week.

Do not wait until someone calls on you and begs you to help this worthy cause. You can send $1 direct to the Home, 4316 Natural Bridge Road, or to the Editor of the St. Louis Argus. The names of all who contribute will be published from week to week:

Previously reported	$20.00
Mr. C. L. Lightfoot	1.00
Mrs. C. L. Lightfoot	1.00
Mrs. Abner Byrd	1.00
Miss Floy Mae Johnson	1.00
Mr. J. Jordan	1.00

NOTICE! NOTICE!

The Motin School of Expression will open its doors after Christmas, at which time we hope to have a large enrollment. The exact date will be given later. Francis E. Motin, Pres.

LOCAL NEGRO BUSINESS LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

Much Enthusiasm Shown at Meeting—H. A. Smith, Gents' Furnisher, Elected President; J. A. Ficklin, Grocer, Re-elected Secretary; J. E. Mitchell, Treasurer—Installation of Officers First Tuesday in November.

HENRY A. SMITH
President Elect of the Local Negro Business League

At their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday night at Russell's Chapel the election of officers for the ensuing year was the principal business transacted. The following officers were elected: H. A. Smith, the owner of Smith's Tailoring and Furnishings for Men and Women, 2343 Market St., was elected president; Julius A. K. Ficklin, of Ficklin's Grocer Co., was elected secretary; J. E. Mitchell, editor of St. Louis Argus, treasurer; Arthur Turner, first vice-president and Earnest Patillo, second vice-president; Julius Mayo Weil, president of the Zynol Product Co., assistant secretary.

The above officers will be installed at the next regular monthly meeting the second Tuesday in November.

Musical Review

Mrs. Grace Key-Carleton will manage a musical review for the benefit of the Old Folks' Home, 8837 Eugenia St.

Mr. Chas. Turpin has donated the use of the Booker Washington Theater for the matinee, which will be held Saturday afternoon, October 28, at 2 p. m.

Some of the best local talent will take part. The generous public is invited to be present and help. Admission, 10 and 15 cents.

CHARITY BALL AND VAUDEVILLE

A charity ball and vaudeville will be given at Pythian Hall, 3137 Pine St., Monday, October 23, at 8:15 p. m., for the benefit of the Orphans' Home, by the Ladies' Wardrobe Club. Admission, 25 cents.

F. Alice Moragne, Anita Williams, and Corps De Ballet.

Prologue.....Corps De Ballet
Spring Breezes.....Alice Moragne
The Flowers.....Anita Williams
Duet—Alpen Howard, Gladys Spiller, Marguerite Hayes, Naomi Jones
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C—The big quartette.
D—Raising the Wind.
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Darwit Wilde.....Charlie Watson
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Miss Fansey Blossom.....Leola Allen
Miss Hortense Van Ress..Hattie Tutt
Scene—Mr. Smart Aleck's Room.
Time—Afternoon.
E—Argola Smith and Stanton Page, "On Broadway."

DR. J. T. PHILLIPS IN WASHINGTON, D. C., ENROUTE TO NEW YORK

Special to the Argus:

Washington, D. C., October 7, 1916.—Dr. J. T. Phillips, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived in the city yesterday. He is visiting friends of his childhood days, the Misses Lucy and Adelena Shaw at 1115 "G" Street. Dr. Phillips is a former Washingtonian and his host of friends here are extending him numerous social courtesies.

Today Dr. Phillips visited Freedmen's Hospital and Howard University, with Dr. F. D. Whitby in his new Auburn roadster. Several hours were consumed driving through the capitol grounds, sight seeing.

Dr. Phillips leaves October 9, for New York, where he will visit friends and make a study of some of the large hospitals. On his return South, he will visit his brother, Dr. C. H. Phillips, Jr., in St. Louis, Mo. Dr. J. T. Phillips is the son of Bishop C. H. Phillips, of Nashville, Tenn., who some years ago served as pastor of Israel C. M. E. Church of this city.

Negro Bank For Helena Assured

Helena, Ark., Oct. 4.

On Tuesday night, October 3, nearly fifty of the most prominent Negro men and women of Phillips, Lee and Monroe counties met in the Elm Street Theater building and made plans for the establishment of a bank in Helena to be capitalized at $25,000.00. The meeting was most enthusiastic. Nearly $5,000.00 of the stock have been subscribed. Another meeting will be held at the Elm Street Theater on October 17, 1916, 8 p. m. All interested may attend. Everybody cordially invited.

COLORED ATTORNEY AND WIFE ORDERED FROM SLEEPING CAR

The Honorable, Perry W. Howard, attorney-at-law, Jackson, Miss., and president of the National Negro Bar Association, and wife were returning from New York to their home at Jackson, Miss., on September 24, and had enjoyed their lower berth from New York until they reached the confines of Kentucky when a burly train conductor, about 10 o'clock in the night, ordered them to the day coach upon the complaint of two white persons in the sleeper, and they stubbornly refused to go, and for a time a sensational moment ensued. But they stood their ground and stated that if they were moved to the day coach it must be by force, as they were inter-state passengers, and held both their sleeping car and train tickets.

It was learned that the complaining parties were from Texas, and one of their kicks was that they had to take an upper berth when "Niggers" had a lower berth.—Freeman.

FIVE HURT IN AUTO WRECK

Five persons were hurt in an automobile collision Thursday morning, October 5, at 9th Street and Cass Ave. Two cars, returning from Brooklyn, were racing when the front car swung to the left to avoid a wagon and was struck by the one in the rear, throwing the car against the lamp post and the occupants out into the street. The most seriously injured were: Miss Blondel Dunlap, fractured hip and scalp wound; Miss Beula Glass, broken nose. Miss Annett Stewart, Mr. Casey the owner and L. Irving the chauffeur, were also injured. None of the occupants of the second car were hurt.

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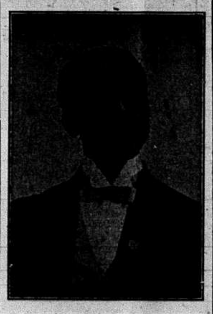

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OUT OF TOWN NEWS

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO.

Mrs. L. Cravins and children, Mrs. Wilson Davis, Mrs. B. White and children, Mrs. G. Williams and daughter also her mother, Mrs. A. Williams, were in St. Louis last week, returning home Sunday....Mr. Henry Jackson and Miss Eva Runnels were quietly married last Wednesday night at the home of the bride's mother. They will make their home here.....Miss L. Isom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Isom, departed this life Wednesday night. She was laid to rest Sunday from the A. M. E. Church. The program scheduled for Sunday will be postponed until next Sunday....Sunday-school at the chapel was well attended..Rev. J. H. Henderson spent a few days in Allenville, Ill., last week assisting. Rev. S. M. Arthur, with his revival, which is now in progress ....Mrs. R. X. Auther, E A. Parks, Miss Eugenia Jones spent Sunday in Allenville....The funeral services over the body of Mrs. William Franklin were conducted Monday from the A. M. E. Church. Rev. G. W. Watkins officiated. The body was in charge of the Sisters of the Household of Ruth.

POPLAR BLUFF, MO.

By Mrs. C. P. Jackson

Rev. G. C. Chinn left Monday for St. Joseph, Mo., to attend the Baptist State Convention....Mrs. Emma Henderson left for St. Louis to make her future home....The annual conference of the A. M. E. Church will convene in Poplar Bluff October 18 at Brown's Chapel....Little Ella Moore is ill at her home on Alice Street.... Rev. T. Morris, presiding elder of East St. Louis, preached at the C. M. E. Church Sunday morning and held his fourth quarterly meeting Monday night ..Mr. and Mrs. G. Martin have their son, Mr. P. Martin, of Chicago, as their guest....The Ladies' Community Club met at the residence of Mrs. L. Crawford Monday night. Nine members were present. Mrs. D. C. Freeman was elected vice-president. Mrs. H. Moore was appointed on the executive committe; Mrs. L. Crawford on the membership committee. Mrs. J. Frantz was the guest of the club. Next meeting will be at the residence of Mrs. H. Moore, October 23, Mrs. Wyatt, president; Mrs. Sylvester, reporter....Rev. R. L. Phillips preached an interesting sermon last Sunday evening at the C. M. E. Church.... Mother Bethel Club entertained last Thursday night at the A. M. E. Church. They raised the amount of $6....Mrs. C. Smith was hostess of the Stewardess Board No. 1, at her home. A lovely menu was served and a pleasant evening spent. Mrs. B. Spencer, president; Mrs. M. Parker, secretary....Mrs. J. W. Taylor was the guest of the Argus reporter last Wednesday....Little Mae Ola Powers is confined with the measles....Mrs. C. P. Jackson was the guest of Mr. J. Sylvester Monday night.

ST. CHARLES, MO

By Rosetta Loper

Mrs. R. H. Smith, of Mexico, Mo., is the guest of her son, Mr. Ed. Smith, of Lewis Street....Mrs. Lizzie Scott, of Benton Avenue, visited a week in Omaha.....Mr. Lewis Curry, of Mississippi, a relative of Mr. Curry, of this city, is visiting here...Mr. Moses Smith, of Chicago, is visiting his son, Mr. Ed. Smith, of 1032 Pine Street... Mr. F. M. Waters, of Alabama, cousin of Mr. Ulyses Young of Benton Ave., is here spending a few days.... Rev. Wm. Alexander, after having successfully pastored St. John's A. M. E. Church for three years, has been appointed to Liberty, Mo.....Rev. Bowman takes his old place....Mr. Bud. Jennings and two children are here with their grandmother, Mrs. F. Jennings....Mrs. Ella Edwards, Mrs. F. Smith and children were the guests of Mrs. Jennings, Sunday....Rev. J. H. Boone, of Kinloch, assisted Rev. Todd, of the M. E. Church, in his quarterly meeting, Sunday....Miss R. Bradshaw, Mrs. A. Shelton and daughter, of Troy, Mo., visited their cousins, Mrs. Henry Miller, Sunday..... Mrs. J. C. Carter, superintendent of Compton Hill Baptist Sunday-school, of St. Louis, visited relatives here Sunday....Mrs. M. E. Brown and daughter attended quarterly meeting in Wentzville Sunday. Miss I. D. Jones, teacher in Franklin School, spent the week end at her home in Macon and attended the annual conference..Prof. J. E. McGirt, was a business visitor in our city Wednesday.

ALTON, ILL.

The Republican League Club will hold a mass meeting October 16. Lawyer Clanton, of Springfield and others will speak.....Rev. and Mrs. G. Brown have returned to the city after several weeks' absence, attending the conference at Sparta and visiting Chicago and other points....The sewing club has begun its fall work and a large number are attending. They meet every Tuesday afternoon at Crow's Hall....Rev. J. H. Tiff, former pastor of Model Chapel, has been sent to pastor in E. St. Louis....Mrs. P. Oglesby has return to the city after spending several days visiting her sister in Michigan.

KINLOCH NOTES

Mrs. Edwards and Miss Jackson gave an entertainment which realized the sum of $6.45?...Rev. Garner held his last quarterly meeting Sunday, collection, $10.45..Last Sunday at their fine country house in South Kinloch, Harry Krouse and wife entertained a number of friends from the city. Among the number were, Mr. F. O. Blont and wife, Mr. and Mrs. McBride, Mr. T. Davis and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rice, Miss Weathers, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Jackson, of Cote Brilliante Ave., Wm. L. Dallion, Jas. Abernathy, A. Owens and J. Lowery, of 620 Holly Ave...The country road crew is grading some of our roads and streets this week.

CARONDELET NEWS

Don't forget the complimentary concert given by the Delany pupils Tuesday, October 17, 1916, at Quinns Chapel A. M. E. Church. Everybody is welcome....Miss Mayme Taylor was hostess to the S. E. A. Club last Thursday night.....Big preparations are being made for their Hallowe'en party. After the regular business a delightful repast was served by the hostess. They promise to do great things for the fall.....Mrs. Sadie Harris, president; Mrs. Lucy M. Brown, secretary..Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Officer had as their guests Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. George Claxton and Mr. and Mrs. John Sheppard ....Mr. and Mrs. Odey Gowins, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hutt....Corinthian Baptist Church called Rev. F. Bates as pastor..We are expecting to do great things this fall under the leadership of the new pastor....The funeral of Mr. Henry Toast was last week from Quinns Chapel A. M. E. Church..... Miss Rosa L. Harris is the new teacher at the Delany Evening School. The old force are still at their posts, viz. Mr. M. J. Gilliam Prin, Messrs. J. R. Pinkett and Leo, Misses M. M. Taylor and Estella M. Casey....The sick are Mmes. M. V. Anthony, L. M. Brown and Georgia Carter.

CHESTER, ILL.

Rev. Haddley, of Centralia, Ill., and Rev. J. A. Sherman, of Sparta, Ill., were here last week.....Our people have been quite busy visiting the M. E. Annual Conference, Sparta fair and Chester street carnival..... Miss Mabel Bigby took her week's vacation in order to visit the fair and annual conference in Sparta. She met quite a number of her old friends ....Rev. W. H. Speese has returned, to the delight of his members....Mr. L. Barber, who has been in St. Louis the past three weeks, is here on business this week....Mr. J. A. Minger was out of town Sunday....Mr. E. L. Mischeux has returned to Chester, after being in Alton, Ill., all summer.... Mr. Hosea Bigby visited the school Tuesday.

ST. CLAIR, MO.

By I. A. Brooks

Misses E. Ewing and C. A. Alexander, of St. Louis, Mo., visited here last week. Miss Ewing while here had a fall, which we hope will not prove serious.....Miss Hazle White entertained at dinner Sunday a few of her friends and relatives in honor of her 15th birthday....Mr. S. Shores was a pleasant visitor here Sunday... Mr. John Murray is visiting friends in St. Louis....The Masons held their regular monthly meeting at the hall on Saturday evening.

MEACHAM PARK

The Willing Workers' Club met at the residence of Miss Viola Spears Saturday.....Mr. and Mrs. Yancy moved to Alton, Ill., Saturday to spend the winter....Mrs. Green's daughter visited her parents last week....The store is getting along fine now....The Mission Circle had their monthly meeting Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Ewing also Miss Standly and Cleo Jones went to St. Louis, last week.

WEBSTER GROVES, MO.

By Miss L. Laird

Blackwell Chapel A. M. E. Zion Church will dedicate their new church on N. Elm Street the first Sunday in November. Good speaking at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. All are cordially invited....The A. M. E. Mission held their quarterly meeting last Sunday. Rev. P. Thurman, presiding elder, and others were present. Rev. Tyler, of Kirkwood, preached at 3 p. m.; Rev. Wm. Banks, of Clayton, Mo., the missionary, preached at the First Baptist Church last Sunday night....Rev. E. J. Buckner visited Elmwood Sunday afternoon and delivered a splendid sermon. Dr. Danridge and Mrs. Moore, of Central Baptist Church, were pleasant visitors at the First Baptist Church last Sunday. Mr. J. Stubblefield, of Wetroy, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. M. Gleason, his cousin.....Mr. C. Turner and Mr. Harrison were pleasant visitors of Mrs. F. Gleason last week. Rev. E. L. Clarke, of Kirkwood, was a visitor of the Gleason family last Sunday... Mrs. Fanny Beasely and P. Morrison report a pleasant ten days' stay in Allenton visiting relatives....Mr. J. B. Harrison arrived Saturday from Mississippi and reports a delightful trip visiting relatives....Mrs. Carrie Lyles, Mrs. Nellie Wheeler and Mrs. H. Pierson are out again after a brief illness.....Miss G. Pierson has completed a course at Poro College.....

Mrs. G. Johnson Dickson departed for her home in Akron, Ohio, after spending one week with her mother and daughter, Mrs C. Powell.....Little Mamie Ruth Oliver, Mrs. L. Anderson Miller departed for their home in Halyville, Okla., having visited relatives and friends.....Rev. C. C. Kitchen, of St. Louis, is very ill at Barnes Hospital, having undergone an operation recently....Mr. A. D. Pierson is improving..Mr. and Mrs. A. Scott have moved in their new bungalow on Bismark Avenue, where they will be pleased to see their friends..Alex Johnson won the four prizes at the St. Louis Fair as demonstrator of the Royal Patent Flour for the Standard Tilton Milling Company. He also won first and second prizes in the St. Louis County Fair. Mr. Johnson is the only Colored baker demonstrating at different fairs. He is now at the business men's fair demonstrating the favorite stoves and ranges.

NOTES FROM BONNE TERRE

S. J. S.

Messrs. H Aubuchon, R. Madison and Miss Maud Townsend were St. Louis visitors, during the Veiled Prophet festivities. Stewardess Board No. 1, of Brown Chapel A. M. E. Church, gave a "Home Comers" entertainment October 6, which netted them a neat sum....The rally Sunday was a decided success, the women raised a few cents more than the men ....Miss Maud Townsend won first prize in the contest, Mrs. Mary Robinson second and Mrs. Janie Maul, third....Messrs. and Mesdames Alex. Maul and Wm. Williams were visitors in Festus, Saturday....Mr. and Mrs. Percy Daggs had their three youngest children baptized Sunday at the home of their pastor, Rev. A. J. Sanders, who with his wife, were godmothers: Mesdames Anna Robinson, Janie Maul and Ellen Fulton, were entertained with an elaborate dinner..Mr. Prince Maul, who continues very ill, professed religion Saturday, was baptized Sunday evening by Rev. A. J. Sanders and Rev. J. M. Townsend.....Rev. J. D. Barksdale made a "tired hot" Republican speech here Friday to an enthusiastic crowd of voters and future voters (women and children).. Mr. Octave Townsend, who has been visiting in Pueblo, Colorado Springs, and other points in Colorado, returned home October 6....Mr. Artie Fulton was a Festus visitor last week....Mr. and Mrs Robt. Fulton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nellie Mae, to Bossie Madison, son of Mrs. Mary Taylor....Mr. P. M. Alexander has renewed his subscription to the Argus. Let others follow.

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL.

Miss Augustinea Foot, teacher, of Pin Oak, was the guest of Miss Leola Brown over Sunday....Miss Glenda Braddock, of E. St. Louis, was the guest of Miss Leola Brown, Sunday.. Rev. Searcy, pastor of Wesley Chapel, has gone to his old home in Ottumwa, Iowa, to arrange for moving.....Mr. Elijah Brown has been confined to his home for the past week from injuries received while hunting....Mr. M. Mc Connell, who was hurt in E. St. Louis a few weeks ago, is better.....Mr Wm. Brown attended a family re-union at Bellville, Sunday....Mrs. P. Samuels, of New Orleans, La., has joined her husband here and will make this her home..Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams and daughter, visited Mrs. William's aunt in E. St. Louis, Sunday....Mrs. E. Singeton, and granddaughter, visited in Conninsville Sunday.

CHESTERFIELD, MO.

By Miss Estella Brooks

Mrs. S. Williams was called to St. Louis last week to see her little injured grandson, Arthur.....Miss Matilda Hamilton was the guest of her sister and mother this week....Mrs. Lulh Jackson and little daughter attended the St. Louis Fair and Veiled Prophet last week....Mrs. N. Brooks was a pleasant caller of her sister and mother, Saturday.....Mrs. B. Hamilton is on the sick list....Creve Coeur Baptist Church gave an entertainment last Saturday night.....Miss Estelle Brooks was the pleasant caller of Misses Clara and Arlive Lewis last Sunday evening.

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THE NEW STUNT OF OUR CITY DEMOCRATS

The Democrats are always in favor of amendments to the charter whenever they find out that their numbers are not sufficient to give control. A large number of Democrats have combined with a few disgruntled Republicans to amend the charter—to abolish a partisan ticket in municipal election. The Democrats didn't get much of a "look in" at the last election and now feeling that their name makes them unpopular they would adopt an alias and call themselves "citizens," or "best citizens" and run for office in that guise. But the wolf in sheeps clothing is an old political bunko Democratic game and the people are generally on to it. Here is one of the specious pleas they make to the Negro.

Speaking of the new election system, which they propose, they say, "it affords an opportunity for Colored voters, if they desire to nominate a list of candidates for the Board of Aldermen, with practical certainty that they can elect one of their number. It is estimated that in an ordinary election with 100,000 votes cast, one-fourteenth of the votes which is necessary to elect can be cast by Negro voters. This would only require 7,000 votes. The Negro vote has been so misused by Republican and Democratic parties, that Negro voters should welcome this opportunity to get away from national parties in city government and secure representation for themselves."

On this committee which issued this address to Negroes and others, of which this extract is a part, is the name of Mr. Somerich who introduced a segregation, several years ago, in the House of Delegates. Of course he is anxious to see that the Negro has representation on the Board of Aldermen, Nil.

The Democratic members of the committee are also anxious for the Negro political advancement when that party in nearly all states, in which it has had absolute control, has disfranchised the Negro. Nil.

Let us wait awhile before we amend our present charter. It's not yet in full operation. Amending has become a hysteria. The Democrats get these spasms quite occasionally. The fits are periodical—always throw a spell about election time. But the Democratic party cannot be put in control by amending charters and state constitutions. It must come up to the "nut cutting" this time and get votes, or, otherwise it will be beaten, that's all.

VOTE $3,000,000 BOND FOR SCHOOLS, NOVEMBER 11

Vote "Yes," and get your friends to vote "Yes" on the $3,000,000 school bond issue to build new school houses. It will increase the tax slightly—5 cents per year to the man who pays taxes on $100 valuation and less than 50 cents per year to the man who pays taxes on $1,000 valuation, but such increase is no comparison to the good it will do. The school board needs the money. The present school revenue does not meet the school needs. Children of school age increase with the population and children may now go to school much younger than several years ago, besides the enlargement of the night school system has admitted many more of the older people.

The attendance has increased until the rooms are overcrowded and 6,000 pupils are taught in portable schools, or outside wooden sheds. Such a condition is a disgrace to our mammoth city with its advanced educational methods and its wonderful business activities.

We have a great school board, magnificent school buildings and an educational system not excelled in America, and America excels the world.

The city needs twenty additional school buildings, and, judging from the number of portable wooden schools now in use to accommodate over-crowded Colored schools, we readily reach the conclusion that a necessary proportion of these new schools will be used by Colored people.

At the base of our civilization is the common school system, it is the enemy of crime, the handmaid of Christianity and the stepping stones by which we must rise to useful and efficient citizenship and manhood.

On Saturday, November 11, the voters will be asked to vote the public schools a $3,000,000 bond; in fine, they will vote to enlarge their schools to meet the requirements, to take 6,000 out of sheds and put them in buildings; and the Colored man, particularly, will have a chance to vote for a measure which must result in having several new Colored school buildings located more conveniently for the children of Negro centers of population.

Every Negro voter will vote for the $3,000,000 bond issue. We feel safe in making this pledge.

G. O. P. Leaders Winning Fight

(Continued from page 1.)

mobiles, which yields the state a revenue of $300,000. He is an able and upright citizen and if called to the governorship would meet all the demands of that office. He is a native of Ohio and a graduate of the University of Michigan.

NEGRO DEMOCRACY COMPLETE FAILURE

When the blind lead the blind they both fall into the ditch. The National Negro Democratic organization that has labored in vain for a score of years to seduce the Negro voters of the country into the Democratic party, under the leadership of Bishop Alexander Walters, of New York, the leading Bishop of the African M. E. Zion Church, has proven a colossal failure.

The good bishop reached the zenith of his fame as a political prophet and Democratic leader four years ago, when he succeeded by taking advantage of the division in the Republican party ranks, in leading several thousands of his people to folow his leadership in supporting Woodrow Wilson for the presidency.

But the bishop had a rude awakening. His eyes have been opened at last, and so have those of his deluded followers. The hopes of the Negro Democratic band have been blasted by the duplicity of President Wilson, who turned his back on them when he entered the White House and in the four short years he has been in power, has removed nearly every evidence of political advancement the Negro has made under the friendly encouragement of Republican administrations for the last fifty years.

Bishop Walters has proved to be a false leader and his followers have deserted him. His aged head is bowed down and his heart is saddened by the evidence of his own duplicity. He has been slaughtered in the house of his false friends, and with all his prestige as a leader gone, he bemoans his sad fate in sack cloth and ashes, while he seeks to undo the great wrong to his people, for which he feels keen responsibility.

A year ago last March, when Bishop Walters visited St. Louis to aid in the dedication of Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, his proud heart overflowed with grief over the disaster he had wrought among his people, and in the presence of a large audience, composed of many of the most prominent white and Colored people of St. Louis, gave vent to his lamentations, taking President Wilson and his administration severely to task for the outrageous treatment he had meted out to his people.

He declared with the forceful eloquence for which he is noted as a pulpit orator, that President Wilson had misled him and his followers by promises of fair play, prior to his election, and after reaching the White House had ruthlessly undone the work of fifty years of race advancement made by the Negroes by the policy of segregation and elimination practiced against them in the various departments of the Federal Government.

In a burst of fiery eloquence at the close of his address the bishop declared it to be his solemn belief that the only salvation for the Negro in the future was to organize themselves and cast a solid vote for the Republican nominee for president in 1916.

In an interview given out to the press a few days prior to his address, Bishop Walters expressed himself on the political situation in the following unmistakable language: "Everybody knows, from the very nature of things, there can be no such thing as a Negro Democrat, but a few of us thought it a wise thing to play Democratic politics. Our motive was to test the sincerity of the Democratic leaders who had claimed to be our true friends, but had withheld their political help from us because of our blind allegiance to the Republican party.

"I had known Mr. Wilson as governor of New Jersey, and regarded him as an upright and God-fearing man, and when he gave us positive assurances that the people of my race would receive fair play under his administration, if he was elected, I decided to give him my support, and did all in my power to aid him in securing a large share of the Negro vote, and I do not think it can be successfully denied that he received the largest Negro vote ever cast for a Democratic candidate for the presidency.

"To say that I was disappointed and surprised at Mr. Wilson's course in permitting the heads of the various department at Washington to introduce and enforce rules segregating the Negro clerks and other employees, thus disturbing the era of good feeling between the races that had existed in the departments for nearly half a century, is putting the case mildly. I was both grieved and indignant.

"I called on the president and had a talk with him about the matter, and while he gave me no assurance that he would interfere with the department heads, in their management, I still believed Mr. Wilson meant to do the right thing in the distribution of federal patronage, when he came to make appointments, but when I saw most of the Negroes who held positions of honor and trust under the government replaced by white men, and saw the efforts of southern congressmen to repeal the Fifteenth Amendment, I became truly alarmed and appealed to the United States Senators to stay the hand of southern prejudice and save us from disfranchisement."

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The sermon of Archdeacon Russell, of southern Virginia, at All Saints last Sunday, was most inspiring. His theme was "The Call to Service."

On next Sunday the preachers will be Bishop Colmore, of Porto Rico, at 11 a. m., and Bishop Murray, of Maryland, at 8 p. m. A number of the Colored clergy attending the great general convention of the church will be in the procession at both services. The choir has prepared special music for the occasion. All who can make it convenient should take advantage of the great spiritual treat.

The subject of Bishop Colmore's sermon, Sunday morning, will be "The Fiery Furnace of Trial," based on the Biblical incident of the three Hebrew children, Abednego, Meshach and Shadrach, in the fiery furnace.

The members of the parish held a largely attended meeting last Monday to consider the question of the proposed racial episcopate for the Colored people of the United States. After stirring addresses by Professors Jas. L. Usher and D. E. Gordon and Mr. Albert Burgess, a strong protest submitted by the vestry was unanimously adopted and a committee appointed to memorialize the convention to this effect.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. S. E. Moore, of Cleveland, Ohio, has recently opened an office with Dr. S. L. Walthall, at the S. E. corner of 23d and Wash Sts. Patronage of the public is solicited. Day or night calls attended to. Phone, Bomont, 412. 4-10-13.

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CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

A notable week at Central Church begins with this approaching Sunday. Dr. Stephens, the pastor, will preach the anniversary sermon in the morning. The week in all of its exercises will be commemorative of the seventy years of the church's existence. At night there will be a grand jubilee service rendered by over seventy-five voices composed of the regular choir, the T. C. Symphony and the B. Y. P. U. choir. On Tuesday night the pastors of the city with their congregations are invited to be present to bring greetings to Central and the brief addresses will be interspersed by music. The entire week will be of unusual interest and the public generally is most cordially invited to attend.

METROPOLITAN A. M. E. ZION

One of the most brilliant church affairs in St. Louis, occurred Sunday at the Union Methodist (white) church. The old Union Methodist Church is now owned by the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion (Colored) Church. Dr. Shaw and the board of trustees, were visitors at the Union Methodist Church and were agreeably surprised by the pageant which they witnessed. Dr. Shaw and his board of trustees being the chief centers of interest.

This pageant commemorated the decided progress their successors are making and is now being shown by the change in the class of people in the environments of the church. Dr. Robins, the retiring pastor, of the Union Church, preached his farewell sermon to his congregation, and a miniature church, resembling the Metropolitan Church was presented by the congregation to Dr. Shaw, symbolizing the surrender of the beautiful Lucas Ave. edifice to the Zion congregation. The keys were also given Dr. Shaw denoting that full possession was given to his congregation.

At the close of the meeting, Dr. Shaw delivered a brilliant and soul-stirring address to the white audience which brought tears to the eyes of many. In the evening Dr. Robins spoke to the Metropolitan congregation on the "Importance of Caring for Our Neighbor." There were about 75 white members present and when our magnificent choir swelled forth, it seemed as if the Holy Spirit had touched every tongue with melody that sounded even to the depths of the soul.

LEONARD AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

We are glad to say our members have been very loyal in the rally, with their presents. We have raised already nearly $500.... We feel that this is remarkable because we do not have concerts and house socials to raise money for the church, no begging of things to eat for a big dinner to be sold in the church, as we are opposed to such methods. We believe that the sacrifice you make as a Christian, and with as much sacredness as any other part of worship. Rev. Dunnavant, our pastor, has been very successful in teaching some very fine principles. All departments of the church are being well developed and are giving good services. We must have $700 by the last of this year, as we want to be able to pay our debts.

SEVEN CHURCH UNION

The Seven Church Union met with North Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday, at Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 1405 Morgan St. President Hall took charge of the meeting. The Union was led in singing by Rev. Williams. President Hall then introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. L. E. Chainey. The sermon was a powerful one and the house was filled with the Holy Spirit. Next meeting will convene at New Hope Baptist Church, 2719 Morgan Street, Monday night, October 13. All are invited to come and join us in the praise of God.

Rev. Hall, President,
L. E. Molton, Sec'y.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of The St. Louis Argus, published weekly at Saint Louis, Mo., for October 1, 1916.

State of Missouri, County of St. Louis—ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. E. Mitchel, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the managing editor of The St. Louis Argus, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management and (if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, The St. Louis Argus Publishing Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Editor, H. T. Meadows, St. Louis, Mo.

Managing Editor, J. E. Mitchel, St. Louis, Mo.

Business Managers, none.

2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding one per cent or more of the total amount of stock).

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3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding one per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none, so state.)

None.

(Signed) J. E. Mitchel.

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Miss S. Clark of Springfield, Ill., is visiting relativer at 4247 N. Market.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith are living in their new home at 3039 Marnice Place.

Mrs. S. Williams, of 3522 Lawton Ave., is well and able to be out again.

Miss M. Moody, of 5237 Waterman Ave., recently spent three weeks in Illinois.

Mrs. F. H. Bowland, of 3938 Finney Avenue, is now housekeeper at the Englass Hotel.

Mrs. T. C. Gilmore is the guest of friends and relatives in Columbia and Mexico, Mo.

The Misses Ada and Gertrude Henderson will be hostess to the Gleaner Bible class on Halloween night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Caldwell, of this city, will make their future home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. D. W. Lindsey, of 3225 Pine St., is in Barnes Hospital. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alberta Barbour of Springfield, Ill., was the guest of her son Roy Barbour, last week.

Rev. Moseley, 2810 Pine is attending the Baptist State Convention at Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. C. H. Brown will leave Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Midian Canfield, who lives in Chicago.

Mrs. T. Brown, of 4283 Finney Ave., departed on the sixth for Philadelphia, New York, and cities of the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Medcaff, of Decatur, Ill., have returned home after visiting Mrs. Bragg, of 4300 Garfield Ave.

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Miss Laura Waters, of 3016 Lucas Avenue, has returned home after spending two weeks in Chicago.

Mr. P. Smith, of 3039 Marnice, is studying law. He is also an important member of the New Hope Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Warren, of 3133 Lawton Ave., have returned after spending a week in Chicago visiting relatives and friends.

The Gleaner Bible Class met last Thursday evening in their regular monthly meeting at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lewis, of 4295 Ashland Ave. Every one departed well pleased.

Mrs. Mattie Sexton, of No. 2 N. Jefferson, entertained Monday evening in honor of her friends, Miss Louise Anderson, Miss Rella Scott, Miss Mattie Calhoun and Master Van Scott. A delightful four-course luncheon was served. The guests were highly elated and wish Mrs. Sexton to have them call again.

Melrose Art Club met at the residence of Mrs. R. Jones, 2319 Walnut Street, Friday, October 6, with twelve members present. After spending an hour for business the remainder of the afternoon was spent in crocheting, after which, the hostess served a delightful luncheon. All expressed themselves as having had a delightful time. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mary James, 2931 Pine, Friday, October 20.

Mrs. Bell Duvall, President,
Mrs. Ora Jones, Sec'y,
Mrs. Olivia Jackson, Reporter.

The Nasturium Art Club met October 7, at the residence of Mrs. J. L. Johnson, 4316 Cote Brilliant. The afternoon was spent transacting business and doing embroidery work. We were pleased to have as visitors: Mrs. Wade Lewis, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Bankstore. We were pleased to have as new members, Mrs. A. Roberson and Mrs. E. Hughes. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. Next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. L. Lane, 4347 St. Ferdinand Ave. New officers elected for the next six months. Mrs. B. H. Peck, President; Mrs. Meadows, Vice-President; Mrs. McAlister, Secretary; Mrs. S. Nelson, Treasurer; Mrs. Daniels, Assistant; Mrs. Robinson, Reporter.

Mrs. Parker, daughter of Mrs. Geo. Richardson, will leave Saturday with her two children and Miss Hattie Walker, to visit her husband's relatives in Indiana.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Krouse, of Kinloch, was opened to their many friends Sunday. There were twenty who enjoyed a very nice lunch and delicious barbecue.

Miss Mable K. K. Law, of Jackson, Miss., spent Sunday with Miss B. Adams, 3107 Pine St. Miss Law is enroute to Kansas City to attend Western University.

Mrs. Clyde Bell Patillo, of 18 N. Leffingwell Ave., was called out of the city Tuesday on account of illness of her sister, Mrs. Jossie Steward, in Springfield, Ill.

Mrs. William Butler, of 3510 Cozens Ave., wife of Major Butler, also Mrs. Clerk Gilmore, of 2931 Pine Street are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bass, of Mexico, Mo.

Mrs. C. H. Phillips and Mrs. Clifford Evans entertained at whist, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Daisy Day McKnight, of Kansas City. There were seven tables and all present had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. Thomas Bass, expert horseman of Mexico, Mo., the guest of Major and Mrs. Wm. H. Butler, last week, while exhibiting his fine string of horses at the St. Louis Fair, won several valuable prizes, left Monday night for home.

The Booklovers' Club had the bi-monthly meeting at the Y. W. C. A. rooms last Saturday. Miss Arminta Parker was hostess. Miss Apgar, of the Teachers' College, gave a very interesting talk on how to study present-day literature.

The regular meeting of the Matrons Council H. of J., will be held Wednesday, October 18, at 2:30 at the residence of Mrs. Mayme M. Polk, 3128a Fair Ave. Mrs. Pinkie C. Lewis, president; Mrs. Mayme M. Polk, secretary.

A special service will be held at the Masonic Temple Sunday, October 15, at 3 p. m. Sermon by Rev. B. W. Stewart, subject: "The relations of religion to our fraternal organization." All fraternal and Christian workers are invited to be present.

The Wayman Social Settlement Association has removed from 1401 Morgan St. to 1526 Morgan St. Our old friends are invited to see us there. Rev. B. W. Stewart, Supt.

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The S. E. C. Alumni held its regular business meeting Friday, October 6, at the Y. W. C. A. building. All expressed themselves as having spent a very profitable summer, and a determination to continue their studies and pursue a post-graduate course at the evening high school. The future meetings will be held at the high school building the first Friday evening in each month. Mr. W. H. Davis, president; Mr. C. H. Stone, Secretary; Mrs. H. M. Bowler, Reporter.

The Bachelor Girls Club met with Miss Anna Marshall, of South Compton.

Chas. H. Turpin, proprietor of the Booker Washington Theatre, has been on the sick list this week.

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Miss Lillian Allmon and sister, Mrs. Ennie Sargent, have removed from 2734 Eugenia to 2629 Walnut St.

Mrs. Lucinda Craven and children, of Cape Girardeau, Mo., were the guests of relatives in St. Louis the past week.

David D. Jones, secretary Y. M. C. A., made a hasty trip to New Orleans, La., on account of the serious illness of his sister-in-law, Mrs. R. E. Jones.

Mrs. Vinnie Ewing, of 3716a Montgomery Street, has been very sick at Barnes Hospital, but is now at home and very much improved.

Mrs. J. E. Astrapp, of 3422 Laclede Avenue, entertained Friday, Oct 9th, with an afternoon whist, in honor of Mrs. V. A. Henderson, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Parkes, of Owensboro, Ky., have been spending the summer with her cousin, Mrs. A. Matthews, 2334a Walnut St., returned to their home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hawkins, who have been spending the summer in Indiana, are now spending the week in Chicago. They will return to the city on November 1.

Mr. and Mrs. James Douglass and son, of 4135a Finney Ave., toured from Jamestown, R. I., arriving in the city Tuesday. They report having spent a very pleasant summer.

Miss Mattie A. Booker, of Little Rock, Ark., who has been spending the summer in Denver, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Hurt, 1520 Goode Avenue, Sunday and Monday.

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Mrs. Lena Brown spent between trains and took supper with Mrs. S. E. Taylor and Miss C. Hill, of 4179 West Belle Place. Mrs. Brown has been visiting her sister in Farmington, Mo., since August.

Mrs. R. L. Latham, of 3032 Marnice Pl., entertained five ladies in honor of Miss Mable Taylor, of Oklahoma, Miss. Those present were, Mrs. Halloway, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Wm. Taylor.

The regular meeting of the Octagon Girls was held at the residence of Miss Bertha Ball, Sunday, October 8, 1916. Miss Thomsia Copeland, president; Miss Geneva McCree, secretary; Miss Bertha Ball, reporter.

J. Jordan, 3707 Dritger Street, who has been ill for two weeks, is reported better. He is well known as a charity worker and is a member of the Board of Managers of the Orphans' Home.

A delightful affair of Wednesday, October 12, was the beautifully appointed luncheon given by Mrs. C. H. Evans, 4210 West Belle, assisted by Mrs. C. H. Phillips, in honor of Mrs. Daisy McKnight, of Kansas City. Mrs. McKnight has returned to her home.

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Mrs. Dollie Stevens, grand matron H. of J., and Mrs. Ida A. Walker, of St. Joseph, Mo., past grand matron H. of J., were the guests of Mrs. Pinkie C. Lewis, 2610a Lawton Ave., last week. Several banquets were given in honor of Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Walker. They also received many beautiful presents.

Dr. E. L. Harris wishes to announce to his many patrons that the disposal of his North Market Street Drug Store will enable him to give individual attention to his store at 100 N. Jefferson Avenue, and thereby guarantee every one the best to be had in quality service and prices.

The Mothers' Congress and Child's Welfare held their meeting at Union Memorial Church, Wednesday evening. The state president presided. The next meeting will be held at the same place next Wednesday. All members are urged to be present. Mary W. Wright, President; Mrs. M. E. Malone, Secretary.

SITUATION WANTED.—Office work with chance to learn typewriting. Phone Lindell 5553 W., or call at 3526 Lawton Ave.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. A. J. Brown is convalescent after three weeks' illness and wishes to thank her friends and the Miscellaneous Club for their kindness to her during her illness.

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The Miscellaneous Club also extends sympathy to Mr. W. H. Brown, in the death of her brother. The club will meet October 20 at Mrs. Henry Dunbar's, 4366 Garfield Ave.

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Ada Shelton.....St. Louis

ANNOUNCEMENT

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Willie Cartez Barr to Mr. Roger Freeman, which occurred in Michigan, July 29, 1914.

The young couple will be at home to their friends after October 20 at 4112 West Belle Place.

The Argus force wishes the young couple many years of happiness, upon the sea of matrimony.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Rev. and Mrs. Harry H. Humphrey, of 4211 N. Market St. will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage, Saturday, October 21, at home.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK

Bessie Girley, 2125 Chestnut, 23.
Harry Jackson, 2223 Pine, 28.
John Williams, City Hospital, 35.
Albert Hunt, 932 N. 23rd, 34.
John Jones, 4442 Lucky, 50.
Maria Bevenue, 2604 Stoddard, 84.
Corine Mitchell, 2629 Lucas, 2 months.
Infi. Jackson, 2502 N. Leffingwell.
Cora Chapman, 2912 (Rear) Washington, 48.
George Smith, 2617 Bernard St., 1.
William Banks, Howard Pl., 47.
Alonza Crook, 413 Montrose, 18.
Frank Wheeler, City Hospital, 43.
Mollie Wilkinson, 2418 Goode, 43.
John Murphy, City Hospital, 29.
Henry Jones, East St. Louis, Ill., 64.
Hugh Mallory, 2930 Market, 28.
Mary Young, 2611¼ Walnut, 32.
Bettie Qualls, 425 Ewing, 42.
Robert Bibbs, 4064 Finney, 29.
Mary Mason, 3823 Washington, 29.
Almogene Washington, 2525a N. Newstead, 12.
Luther Richard, Koch Hospital, 30.
Geneva Johnson, 4414 Maffitt, 28.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our friend, Mr. Hugh Mallory, 2930 Market St., who died October 5, 1916.

"We saw you linger day by day,
We watched you slowly pass away,
If care and love could death prevent,
Your days would not so soon been spent."

Signed, Joseph Layne and Friends.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear mother, Katy Hale, who departed two years ago, October 16, 1914.

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Friends may think the wound is healed,
Little do they know the sorrow,
That lies in our hearts concealed.

We miss your willing hand,
Your fond and loving care,
Our home is dark without you,
We miss you everywhere.

We saw her suffer, heard her sighs,
With aching hearts and weeping eyes,
We saw her sinking hour by hour,
Yet could not stay death's awful power.

But now she calmly sleeps at last,
All pains and aches, all suffering past.

Sadly missed by mother and children.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kind sympathy extended during our sad bereavement in the death of our daughter, Imogene Washington, who departed this life September 29, 1916, at 5:20 a. m. Funeral services took place at St. Charles, Mo., A. M. E. Church, October 1. We especially thank Rev. Alexander for his kind and consoling words. Signed, Mr. and Mrs. Heard, 3618a Newstead Ave., father and mother.

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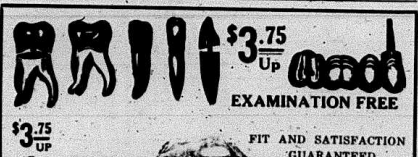
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Mrs. Hattie Brown and sister, Evaline, of Dumaine, Ill., were visiting friends and relatives in the city last week.

Mrs. W. C. Maxwell, 4288 Lucky, assisted by Miss Empress Davidson, entertained Thursday from five to eight with a bridge luncheon in honor of Miss Lady Emma Phillips.

Mrs. Clara Smith-Eaton, 3013B Laclede Ave., entertained at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Dr. W. Sampson Brooks and wife. Covers were laid for fourteen; an eight course dinner was served. The house was beautifully decorated in Hallowe'en colors, of gold and black. After dinner, the guests retired to the sitting room, where beautiful gifts were presented to Dr. and Mrs. Brooks. Later in the evening Mrs. Lila Covington, president of the Ladies' Improvement Club of St. Paul Chapel, surprised the guests by presenting Mrs. Brooks with her birth stone ring, and Dr. Brooks with a box of handkerchiefs and tie.

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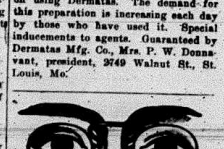
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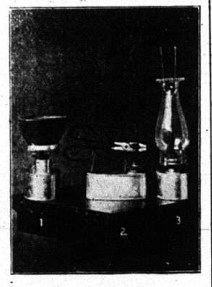

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Democratic Candidate Said That Our Army Was Ample and That We Did Not Have Enough Troops to Patrol the Border; That We were on the Verge of a Maelstrom and That There Was No Critical Situation; That the National Guard Would Not Do and Then That It Must Do.

In the fourteen months extending from December 8th, 1914, to February 4th, 1916, there were fifteen messages, letters and speeches of President Wilson which I have read. In these fifteen messages, letters and speeches, during those fourteen months, President Wilson took forty-one different positions about preparedness and the measures necessary to meet it; and each of these forty-one positions contradicted from one to six of the others. In many of his speeches the weasel words of one portion of the speech took all the meaning out of the words used in another portion of that speech; and these latter words themselves had a weasel significance as regards yet other words. He argued for preparedness, and against preparedness. He stated that our army was ample; and that we did not have enough troops to patrol the Mexican border in time of peace. He said the world was on fire, and that sparks were liable to drop anywhere and cause us to burst into flame; and he also said that there was no immediate danger. He said that there was no sudden crisis; and then again that we did not know what a single day would bring forth. He said that we were on the verge of a maelstrom; and then that there was no special or critical situation. He said the danger was constant and immediate; and also that we were not threatened from any quarter. He said that there was no fear among us; and also that we were in daily danger of seeing the vital interest and honor of the country menaced and the flag of the United States stained with impunity. He said that we were in very critical danger of being involved in the great European struggle; and also that there was no need to dicuss the question of defense, or to get nervous or excited about it. In one and the same speech, he said that a sufficient number of men would volunteer, and that if they did not he would be ashamed of America; and he also said that he did not know of any law which laid upon them the duty of coming into the army, if it should be necessary to call for volunteers. He said that we needed 500,000 volunteers, and that if there was any legitimate criticism of this demand it was because it was too small; and as soon as Congressman Hay objected to the plan, he promptly abandoned it. He said that the National Guard was not the proper body upon which to rely; and then not only changed his own mind but forced his own Secretary of War out of his cabinet, because this Secretary possessed less flexible convictions and was unable instantly to reverse himself when going at full speed.—From the Speech of Colonel Roosevelt at Battle Creek, Michigan, in Behalf of Mr. Hughes.

WILSON DEEMED IT FUTILE TO STAND FIRMLY.

President Wilson seeks to justify himself on the ground that it was "futile" and dangerous to "stand firmly." This is an appeal that can with equal truth be made by every soldier who runs away in battle. He further alleges his belief that the cause he championed "has the sanction of the judgment of society in its favor." I remember thirty-odd years ago in the Black Hills a local vigilance committee which was in doubt about hanging a suspected wrongdoer. While they were discussing the matter, there appeared over the neighboring divide a frowsy, elderly horseman in a linen duster, who promptly galloped towards them waving his arms and shouting "Hang him! Hang him!" The leader of the vigilantes at once asked the frowsy stranger what he knew of the facts, whereupon the stranger answered: "I do not know anything about the facts, and I never saw the man before; but there's eleven of you and only one of him, and I believe in majority rule!" This is merely a picturesque paraphrase of what Mr. Wilson calls action under "the sanction of society." It exemplifies the principle upon which President Wilson has acted in those public matters, internal and external, where he was threatened with the use of force.—From the Speech of Colonel Roosevelt at Battle Creek, Michigan, in Behalf of Mr. Hughes.

SOLILOQUY AT SHADOW LAWN.

Where are they gone, the old familiar faces?
I had a friend—McCombs, but he left me,
Left me slowly but surely, when I did not need him.
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces!

Once I had Bryan; he was my friend
In my hours of struggling in that great convention.
But now he's gone. Left me with "God bless you!"
Upon his lips. Gone, are the old familiar faces.

I had a friend; a truer friend had no man,
Like an ingrate, I wounded my friend acutely;
And he, good Colonel Harvey, left me.
Left me
To muse on the old familiar faces!

At my right hand sat my friend
Who was the strong arm of my Administration—
Garrison, upright and honest—but he too has left me;
Left me, when I deceived him—gone are the old familiar faces!

At Shadow Lawn, where new friends swarm around me,
Earth seems a desert I am bound to traverse,
Seeking to find the friends who've left me;
But all, all are gone—the old familiar faces!

CHARLES LAMB, 2d.
In New York Sun.

Editorial Comments

If the Democratic leader who advocates putting dyes on the free list to encourage the industry were a surgeon his method of setting a broken limb would be to amputate the patient's leg at the neck.

Optimism is what makes the Democratic party, which has fooled some of the people only three times in fifty years, and has never yet fooled all of the people some of the time, think that it can now fool all of the people all of the time.

President Wilson hasn't been able to figure out yet whether he is going to be on the stump or up one.

If the paper shortage becomes much more serious the first thing we know the machinery of the State Department will be coming to an abrupt stop.

Then, too, according to the Democratic campaign text that among the more important enactments of the Wilson Administration may be mentioned Magna Charta and the Ten Commandments.

Secretary Redfield converses glibly in terms of billions until it comes time to make a campaign contribution when it is disclosed that all he really knows about mathematics is $100.

Everything has gone up under Wilson except the price of dead Americans.

Senator Jimham Lewis has purchased a new volume of "Unfamiliar Quotations" and expects to be able any day now to give us the classical derivation of "pitiless publicity" and "strict accountability" in the original Babylonian.

Add famous sayings of history: "I will surrender on this line if it takes all summer!"

The Democratic revenue bill, as completed, is regarded as so perfect that the chances are that the taxpayers of New York, Massachusetts and Illinois will be able to build 3,000 more miles of good roads in Alabama next year.

Mr. Hughes is talking to the women of the land in the homely language of the fireside and we expect to witness an impressive rallying of the sex on the first ironing day after the first wash day in November.

WILSON STRIKES WHEN THE IRON IS COLD.

President Wilson refused to speak in Independence Hall on the one hundred and twenty-eighth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence in that hall, and he so refused because inasmuch as over one hundred of our men, women and children had just been murdered on the high seas he regarded it as "the very moment when he would not care to arouse the sentiment of patriotism." Mr. Wilson has a positive genius for striking when the iron is cold and fearing to strike when the iron is hot. If one hundred and twenty-eight years ago Washington and Jefferson, and the other men who signed the Declaration of Independence had felt the same way about patriotism, and the same way about fighting as Mr. Wilson does, we would never have had a country. Had Lincoln felt the same way, there would be no such thing as the American Republic now in existence.—From the Speech of Colonel Roosevelt at Battle Creek, Michigan, in Behalf of Mr. Hughes.

Church Directory

St. James A. M. E. Church, St. Ferdinand and Pendleton Streets—Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Young Peoples' Societies, 5 to 7:30. Class meeting, Tuesday, 8 p. m. Rev. William H. Peck, pastor.

Ward Chapel A. M. E. Church, Kinloch, Mo.—Sunday, Preaching 11 a. m.; Sunday-school, 1:30 p. m.; Thursday, Class meeting, 8:00 p. m. J. W. Garner, pastor.

St. Peters' A. M. E. Church, Elliot and Montgomery Sts.; Sunday: Preaching, 11:00 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Sunday-school, 2 p. m.
Rev. S. B. Anderson, Pastor.

St. Marks A. M. E. Zion Church, Lafayette and Bernard St.—Services at 11:00 a. m. Sunday-school at 1:00 p. m. Class meeting, Friday evening at 8:00. Reverend F. W. Alstork, the pastor, will preach special sermons, morning and evening.

QUINN CHAPEL A. M. E. Church, 321 Bowen St. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday-school, 9:00 a. m. Class meeting, Thursday.
Rev. T. L. Watson, Pastor.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH, 6216 Wells Ave.—Preaching Sundays, 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 1 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursdays, 8 p. m. Rev. E. L. Clarks, pastor.

Grant's A. M. E. Church, 6726 Bleak Ave.—Sunday preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school 3 p. m. Mr. Blackwell, Supt. Rev. W. H. Fearson, pastor. Residence 3024 Pine St.

Wyman A. M. E. Church, 23rd and Wash Streets—Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Endeavor, 6:30; Class meeting, Tuesday, 8 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p. m. Rev. S. L. Brooks, Pastor.

First Baptist Church, 1320 Clark Ave.—Sunday preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Preaching, Wednesday night by local preachers. Prayer meeting, Friday 8 p. m. Rev. Wm. O. Davis, pastor, 4354 Lucky St.

First Baptist Church of Kinloch, Mo.—Sunday, preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Bible reading at 6:30 p. m. Weekly meetings, Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p. m. Communion, second Sunday in each month. Rev. P. Hople, pastor; E. L. Brown, clerk.

Leonard Avenue Baptist Church: 36 S. Leonard Ave.—Sunday, Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School 1:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:00 p. m Prayer Meeting Wednesday night.
Rev. P. W. Dunavant, Pastor, 2749 Walnut.

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 2624 Papin St. Sunday: Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., Sunday-school 1:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m.
Dr. J. Douglass Herben, Pastor.

Thessalonian Missionary Baptist Church—504 Montrose Ave. Sunday, prayer meeting 6 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school 1 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. 6:30; Wednesday, preaching 8 p. m.; Friday, prayer meeting 8 p. m.; Missionary Society, first and third Tuesday in each month at 8 p. m. Rev. David Tyler, pastor.

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Tabernacle Baptist Church, 2726 Pine St. Preaching Sundays, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school, 1:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m., Brotherhood meeting. Friday, 8 p. m., Prayer Meeting.—Rev. S. A. Moseley, Pastor.

Second Baptist Church, Kinloch Park—Preaching, Sundays, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school, 1 p. m.; Weekly meetings, Wednesday and Fridays, 8 p. m. Rev. Timothy Font, 612 S. Garrison Ave., St. Louis, Pastor.

Mount Olive Baptist Church, 1429 N. 12th Street—Preaching every Sunday, 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday-school, 1 p. m.; B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m.; Mission Circle, fourth Sunday in each month. Rev. D. W. Morris, Pastor.

Antioch Baptist Church, North Market and Goode Ave. Preaching, Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 1 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 p. m. Communion Services, Second Sunday in each month. Rev. Wm. L. Perry, M. D. Pastor.

Third Corinthian Baptist Church, 13th and Biddle streets.—Sunday, prayer meeting, 5 p. m. Preaching, 11 a. m.; 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday school, 1 p. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday night. Preaching, Thursday night. Fourth Sunday in each month Covenant and Communion. Rev. J. W. Hall, pastor; M. C. Crosby, clerk; Pete Brown, treasurer.

Providence Baptist Church, Kennerly and Pendleton Avenues.—Sunday, preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school, 1 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. Prayer meeting, Friday 8 p. m. Covenant and Lord's Supper, fourth Sunday 3 p. m. Mission Circle Prayer Meeting third Friday, 8:30 p. m. Rev. E. Calvin Cole, pastor, 3121 Fair Ave.

Corinthian Baptist Church, 445 Antelope, Sunday Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sabbath school, 10:00 a. m.; B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m. Wednesday: Preaching 8:00 p. m., Friday: Prayer Meeting, 8 p. m., Mission service, third Friday, 8 p. m. Business meeting Friday before the fourth Lord's day in each month. Rev. Wm. Anderson, Pastor.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church No. 2, 1405 Morgan St. Sunday, prayer meeting, 5 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 1:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Mission Circle, Tuesday night. Prayer and praise meeting, Friday night. Third Sunday in each month Covenant meeting. Fourth Sunday communion. Rev. A. Dickson, pastor, Thomas Miller, clerk.

Luthern Church, 1701 Morgan St.—Sunday preaching 3 p. m. Sunday-school 3 p. m. Catechetical Instruction, Thursday, 8 p. m. Day School, every day, 9 a. m.—3 p. m. Rev. G. A. Schmidt.

The Church of God and Saints of Christ, 4050 Fairfax Ave.—Services, Sunday at 7:30, Wednesday at 7:30, Friday at 7:30 Saturday (Sabbath) at 11 a. m. and rest of the day. Elder J. H. Anderson, pastor.

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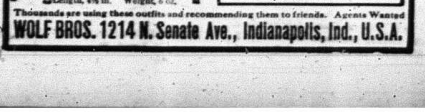
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The St. Louis Giants will close the 1916 baseball season next Sunday, October 15, with a double header against Slack's so-called East St. Louis Giants at Federal Park. Slack's team is made up principally of league players. Last Sunday the Colored boys, with Gatewood on the mound, nosed out the white team in an exciting contest, score 3 to 2. Gene Dale, who pitched for Slack, had a world of speed and curves and kept Charlie Mills' boys guessing. The two games Sunday will complete a three game series for the Missouri-Illinois championship. Slack must take both games to win the title. If the teams break even the honors will go to the St. Louis Club. Wade will no doubt pitch the first game and Gatewood the second. A side bet of $500 on the series is one of the principle factors. The first game will start at 1 p. m. Both games will be hotly contested as it is rumored that considerable money has been waged on the series. The admission will be, Bleachers, 25 cents, Grandstand, 35 cents.

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There is just enough variety at the Booker Washington Theater this week to please everyone. The program is made up of good numbers well prepared.

Zazalle Brothers, trick comedy acrobats, do all kinds of apparently impossible things. Their act is full of ludicrous tumbling and slap stick hilarity of the clown variety. They carry their own scenery.

Ford and Ford, an excellent mixed team, with good voices, offer several spicy jokes and do some lively singing and dancing. The eccentric soft shoe dance by the male and the all round work by the female, who is unusually active for a large woman, are the main feature. They draw heavy applause.

Gertrude Saunders, a very attractive footlights performer, makes a decisive hit with her singing and dancing. She closes with her own version of "The Dance Called Walking the Dog" and goes big. She has a sweet voice and puts much individuality into her work.

Williams and Taylor, the dance fiends, have a rapid fire act beaming with humorous dialogues, songs and dances. Everything they do creates applause. Their mock rehearsal is full of comedy and the Charlie Chaplin imitations by Taylor calls for an encore. Williams renders a sentimental number in good voice. The team closes with a dance contest that offers some of the best straight and eccentric work ever seen at this theater. The act is a winner.

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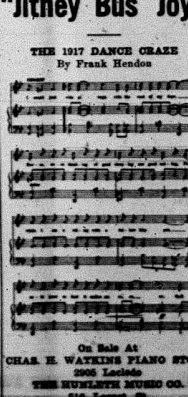
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The tenth anniversary of the Christian Spiritual Church, 2727 Lawton Av., will be celebrated October 26 and 27 with an unusual program. On the 26th special test service will be held. On the 27th, a grand jubilee service will be held with some of the best mediums in the city present to entertain you. The captains are all busy, to make this a grand affair for the benefit of the building fund. Refreshments will be served both evenings free.

J. S. Weatherford, Rector.
R. Duke, secretary.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday was a great day with us. Bible school at 9:30. Sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m. Covenant meeting and communion at 2:45. Dr. Stephens, of Central Baptist Church, with their officers and men, were with us and we had a great time. Next Sunday Rev. J. I. Huggins will preach as Dr. Herben will be away conducting a meeting in Chicago.

MADAM PAGE VISITS ST. JOSEPH

Madam Bessie Page is in St. Joseph, Mo., attending the Missouri Baptist Women's H. F. Missionary and Educational Convention. Among those present were: Bell P. Woods, F. Jenkins, Dr. Caston, Mr. Abbington, Mr. Gains, Mr. C. R. McDonald, Mr. Oliver. They and many other are enjoying a grand and successful reunion. Mr. Chas. Rhoda, manager of Page Laundry willingly carries on the business during the madam's absence. Mrs. Anna Armstrong, an evangelist, was very pleased to meet the delegates.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. S. Davis delivered a powerful sermon last Sunday, owing to the illness of Rev. S. A. Moseley. Bessie Page and Bell F. Woods, delegates to the Women's H. F. M. E. Convention choral club, won in the contest last Sunday. Mrs. Nellie Austin, daughter of B. F. Woods, is doing much good with the training of the children. Miss Ada Jones, child organist, is in the contest of the Orphans' Home. Will the membership kindly help her?

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Our church was blessed with a baptismal shower of the Holy Ghost Sunday and it was truly a day of Pentecost. The song service and prayers were beautiful and touching. Brother P. Thomas preached for us at 11 o'clock. He pictured Christ as a Redeemer. Holy communion was partaken at 8 o'clock by the pastor, D. W. Morris.

ST. JAMES NOTES

Sunday, October 15, will be known as "Official Day" at St. James A. M. E. Church. Each member of the different auxiliaries will wear a badge representing their department. The pastor will preach at the morning and evening service and the Rev. Mr. Dodson at three o'clock. "Woman's Day" was an overwhelming success. The church was packed at both services. Miss Mae Belcher, of the Y. W. C. A., and Mrs. Carrie Bowles, of East St. Louis, were literary gems. The music was "par excellent." Next Sunday will mark the closing of one of the most successful years in the history of St. James. Dr. Peck has not only won the heart of his parishioners, but by his thought-ful logical sermons has succeeded in drawing many of other denominations to worship at St. James' shrine. He has rendered valuable service to the community and his work this year is only a foretaste of what he will do as the years pass. He is in reality, "The Little Giant."

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Commonwealth Mercantile and Investment Company, will be held at McPheeter's Memorial Presbyterian Church, southeast corner of Goode and Cote Brilliante Avenues, in the city of St. Louis, state of Missouri, on Monday, December 4, 1916, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of voting upon a fifteen thousand dollar increase of the capital stock of the said corporation, and for the transaction of any and all business in connection therewith that will properly come before said meeting.

By order of president.
St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 28, 1916.
Arthur Turner, Sec'y.

GENERAL AGENT OF THE H. P. A.

Notice to Members

This is to certify that we have appointed Rev. J. J. Johnson, our general agent for the Home Protective Association of St. Louis District.

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